

**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA
COMMISSION DIRECTIVE**

ADMINISTRATIVE MATTER

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DATE

March 24, 2021

MOTOR CARRIER MATTER

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DOCKET NO.

2021-21-C

UTILITIES MATTER

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ORDER NO.

SUBJECT:

DOCKET NO. 2021-21-C - Application of Horry Telephone Cooperative, Incorporated for Designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier in Certain Census Blocks in Georgetown and Marion Counties for Purposes of Receiving Federal Rural Digital Opportunity Fund ("RDOF") Phase I Support - Staff Presents for Commission Consideration Horry Telephone Cooperative, Incorporated's Request for Expedited Review of Its Application for Designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier in Certain Census Blocks in Georgetown and Marion Counties for Purposes of Receiving Federal Rural Digital Opportunity Fund ("RDOF") Phase I Support and Request for Waiver of R.103-690.C.(a)(1)(B), R.103-690.1.B(b)(1), and R.103-690.C.(b).

COMMISSION ACTION:

I move that the Commission grant expedited review and approve the Application of Horry Telephone Cooperative, Inc. for designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier in certain census blocks in Georgetown and Marion Counties, South Carolina, for the purposes of receiving Federal Rural Digital Opportunity Fund ("RDOF") support.

I further move that the Commission adopt the Stipulation between Horry Telephone Cooperative, Inc. and the Office of Regulatory Staff.

I also move that the Commission grant all requested waivers of Commission regulations, which are Regulations 103-690(C)(a)(1)(b) and 103-690.1(B)(b)(1) regarding submittal of a two year upgrades and improvement plan and Regulation 103-690(C)(b) which requires a service area to be designated by wire center. I so move.

PRESIDING: J. WilliamsSESSION: RegularTIME: 11:00 a.m.

	MOTION	YES	NO	OTHER
BELSER	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Present in Hearing Room
CASTON	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Present in Hearing Room
ERVIN	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Voting via Webex
POWERS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Present in Hearing Room
THOMAS	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Voting via Webex

C. WILLIAMS	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
J. WILLIAMS	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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